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NEW LOCATION CHOSEN FOR NILES POST OFFICE

FIFTY-EIGHT YEARS WEDDED LIFE IS FETED BY THANES

Large Number Pay Respects to Pioneer Niles Couple

The anniversary of fifty-eight years of successful married life was happily celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane, well-known Washington township pioneers, with an informal gathering at their home near Niles Friday.

Many friends paid calls during the afternoon and evening to extend messages of congratulations, while a large number of phone calls and other words of felicitation were received from many of those who were unable to attend the affair. The couple were of bouquet of beautiful flowers of boquets of beautiful flowers by those visiting the home during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Thane first began their married life in San Francisco in 1874. They came to Niles from Oakland in 1884 and have resided at their attractive home a short distance from Niles ever since. Throughout their long life in Washington township they have made many friends and won the respect and admiration of all those who have known them. Both have displayed an active interest and taken part in all community affairs, and have been among the leading pioneers in the township for its upbuilding. Although Mr. Thane is now seventy-nine years of age and Mrs. Thane, seventy-seven, both still are very active and show the same interest and willingness to participate in all movements which make for the betterment and progress of Washington township.

Three children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Thane. These were Bart L. Thane, Hazel Thane, both deceased, and Mrs. J. R. Whipple, who makes her home with her parents at the present time.

In addition to those from Niles who were present for the wedding anniversary, out of town guests included, Mrs. Charles Tilden, of Alameda, and a sister-in-law of Mrs. Thane; Mrs. C. M. Hobbs, Mrs. A. F. Thane, and Bertha Jensen, all of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burr, of Hayward; Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Ormsby, and Reverend William Attwood, of Centerville; Mrs. W. D. Patterson and Mrs. Fred Muller, of Newark; Mrs. August May and Mrs. R. S. Robie, of Alvarado; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Witherly, of Mission San Jose.

Among the Niles guests present were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mosher, who have been happily married for sixty-six years. Mr. and Mrs. Thane, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Mosher are members of the Niles organization known as the Golden Wedding Anniversary Club, No. 2, all of whom have been married fifty years or over.

ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Roeding, Jr., entertained a number of out of town friends at a barbecue dinner in their garden Saturday night.

PAIR ARE JAILED FOR 100 DAYS ON LIQUOR CHARGES

Verdict Causes Wife Of Sentenced Man To Swoon

Sentences of 100 days in the county jail were passed on John Martinez and Joe Keles, both of Decoto, by Judge Jacob Harder, Jr., in the Hayward justice court Wednesday of last week, after the two men had plead guilty to liquor possession charges.

The jail sentences were accepted in preference to a $300 fine. The pair originally had been charged with possession and operation of a still as the result of a raid made recently by county officers in a home distillery in Decoto, but upon agreement with Deputy District Attorney Harry Styles, the charge was reduced when the men decided to plead guilty to liquor possession.

An extremely touching incident occured after the two men had been sentenced, when Mrs. Joe Keles, mother of eleven children, broke into hysterical crying and fainted in the courtyard in the rear of the city hall while watching her husband being lodged in the Hayward jail, pending removal to the county jail. Several witnesses picked the woman up and carried her to a car to take her to a physician for treatment.

Upon first appearing before Judge Harder, July 6, Martinez and Keles pleaded not guilty, after which short hearings were held July 13, with continuance on July 20, when the two plead guilty to the reduced charge.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS ENJOY TRIP TO BIG BASIN

After two weeks' of camping outdoors, enjoying swimming, hiking, and other activities connected with their organization, members of the Niles Camp Fire Girls returned from Big Basin Friday.

The girls were under the leadership of Miss Muriel Fournier, Miss Evelyn Rose, and Mrs. J. E. Townsend during their stay at the camp. A quantity of food was provided by parents and friends of the girls. Mrs. Carthy, of Niles, presided as Mistress of the Kitchen during the stay at the camp.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend wishes to thank all those who assisted so generously in making the camp such a huge success this year.

The girls attended were: June Farrington, Mabel Townsend, Leona Solon, Yvonne Vieux, Cecil Harrold, Rosalie Harrold, Agnes Trinchero, Lucille Alves, Betty Robinson, Barbara Ingram, Alta Farmer, Cleta Farmer, Lorene Kearns, Mariam Ziegler, Dorothy Fabin Lorene Kearns and Mary Gertrude Coley.

Mrs. Jack Williamson and two children were the guests of Mrs. G. S. Holeman at Capitola for several days last week.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Aug. 16—Ladies' Auxiliary, Memorial Hall, 8 p. m.
August 4—Welfare Board, Memorial Library.
Aug. 5—Niles Fire Department Meeting, Fire House, 7 p. m.
Aug. 8—Odd Fellows, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.

J. A. SILVA TO ERECT BUILDING FOR MAIL QUARTERS ON J STREET

Removal to New Structure Expected Within Next Two Months

After several months of uncertainty, definite announcement was made Saturday that the Niles post office will be moved from its present quarters to a new building to be erected on J street adpacent to the new structure recently completed by J. A. Silva.

The post office will be moved as soon as the new structure can be completed by its builder, J. A Silva, whose bid for the mail headquarters was accepted by the United States post office department.

Silva plans to construct a building appropriately fitted for the post office, and which will be a credit to Niles. It will be a twenty-two-feet by sixty-feet one-story structure of reenforced concrete, built in the latest attractive style.

It is not definite when the post office will be moved to the planned new quarters, but it is expected to be within two months from the present time. In accepting Silva's bid, the post department stipulated the building must be completed and ready for occupancy in sixty days after the contract has been signed. The structure will be leased for a period of ten years.

Silva expects to open bids for the building within the next two weeks. After the contract has been awarded, work will begin immediately and rushed to completion. The old wooden building, which formerly housed a pool hall, will be torn down, according to present plans, and the new structure erected at its location.

The location of the Niles post office has been a topic of considerable discussion and interest among people since the lease of the present quarters expired in March of this year. Because it was located in the "bottleneck" on First stret, Niles, caused many peope to express the opinion that the mail headquarters should be moved to a less hazardous location on account of motor traffic. The opinion also existed that the post office should be on the side of the street on which most of the business houses are located, thus avoiding the necessity of crossing First street, which is part of the heavily traveled state highway. These arguments undoubtedly were of influence when post office officials made the decision to remove the mail office from its present site.

REGISTER FOUNDER PAYS VISIT TO NILES

Albert Lyser, founder of the Township Register and one of the earliest pioneers in Washngton township, dropped into the Register office Wednesday afternoon of last week to chat for a few moments on early township history. He was accompanied by Marston Campbell, of Oakland.

Evidence that the Register is probably the oldest newspaper in Alameda county were offered by Lyser, who said he founded the publication at Irvington in 1874, almost sixty years ago. The paper only continued in his hands for a few years, then was brought to Niles where it has provided continuous service to Washington township people ever since.

Not only was Lyser an early editor in this section of the county, but to him goes the credit of founding one of the earliest educational institutions. Washington college, famous in the early days of the community and the seat of learning for many of the old pioneers settling in Washington township, was founded by Lysor, also at Irvington. Although the institution is now but a memory, many of the old pioneers recall it with pleasant and fond reminiscences, as was evidenced by the happy homecoming fete held at its former site recently, which large numbers attended.

Lyser was a teacher in San Francisco for many years after leaving Washington township. He retired ten years ago and now resides in San Francisco.

Deer Elude Niles Hunters During Opening Day

Although a large number of Niles nimrods arose early Monday morning to greet the dawn with the intention of being the first to bag a deer, the majority returned empty handed after spending several hours perspiring under the hot sun in the hills.

As far as was able to be determined by Tuesday night, only three bucks fell victims to bullets from the guns of Niles hunters. To Gladferd Viery, Niles MacMarr store manager, goes the honor of bringing down the first of the elusive game. Viery killed a four pointer at eight o'clock Monday morning in the hills back of Livermore. The animal weighed 103 pounds dressed.

Bob Vieux and Frank "Bum" Mello were the other two Niles shooters to "bring home the bacon." Vieux knocked over a forked horn in the hills near Niles at about ten o'clock in the morning. It weighed ninety-five pounds dressed. Mello bagged his quarry also near Niles. It was a forked horn and weighed eighty pounds dressed.

Miss Lorene Furtado, of Niles, and Miss Blanche Madsen, of Napa, visited their cousin, Miss Elsie Costa, of Irvington, last week.

CLEANING FIRMS JOIN TO ABOLISH PRICE CUT WARS

In order to place their businesses on a paying basis, cleaning establishments in Washington township have formed an agreement to hold to a certain price scale in the future and avoid all price cutting wars.

Under the situation existing previously, work was taken at prices which made it impossible for the businescses to operate without a loss. The price schedule to be followed hereafter will assure the public of the same efficient service at fair costs. The firms listed in the advertisement found in this issue of the Register are those who have formed the agreement.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

They Have Lived Grandly

IN A GENERATION of easy and frequent divorces, where marriage seems to be undertaken with a thought that it will be one long, unbroken bliss with plenty and no want, or lacking that, a rush to the courts for dissolution of the marriage vows, it is a joy and an inspiration to find a sturdy oak of fidelity and loyalty in a barren plain of fickleness and domestic weakness.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane, of Niles, celebrated their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary. Think of that! Fifty-eight years together, fighting the battle of life and existence—and still with many years to go—happy, loving, helpful, charitable with one another all this time. Just such as these people have made this world gradually better from century to century. They have the stick-to-iveness, the constancy and the generosity with faults, that carry people over the rough places in married life. They have lived fully, magnanimously, and to them the writer offers his felicitations.

Have a Caution

THE NEWS FROM Washington is disturbing. Nothing like it in the United States has occurred in either the Nineteenth or Twentieth centuries. Only once before, in 1794, were federal troops called out in the national capital to maintain order. During that year happened what is known as the whisky rebellion. The use of soldiers at that time perhaps was justified, but the use of an armed force to drive ex-soldiers of the Union from Washington last week was not, in the opinion of the writer, excusable upon any premise.

The moving spirit behind the use of force to clear Washington of the ragged and hungry Americans, was fear. The administration became frightened. It is alleged that the president had been the recipient of missives of intimidation from radicals. That is possibly true. Every precaution should have been taken to protect governmental officials, and run down relentlessly any man or organization resorting to intimidation or an insinuation at direct action. Nevertheless it was unfair—indeed, it was childish and cowardly—to make a sweeping charge that the bonus army was bent on violence. It had displayed rare moderation, and on the whole its members acted as good Americans, and so far as any one could see were at all times well within their constitutional rights.

Doubtless the presence of men in large numbers trained in warfare, billeted in the national capital with a real grievance, hungry, poorly clothed and sleeping in makeshift shacks or on the bare ground, threw a scare into the hearts of men whose consciences were not quite clear. Besides it gave the capital of the richest country on the globe a touch of gaucherie to have ill clad and begrimed ex-soldiers touching elbows with the elite of the land. So the troops were called out—the bayonet and the saber clacked, tanks rolled over the pavements, gas bombs were thrown among the ragged veterans and their women and children, the torch was applied to their humble habitation and they were driven indiscriminatingly into the country, with no thought, no concern, where they were to sleep in the nights to come, nor where or how they were to eat on their trek to less hostile cities and countrysides. It was a diabolical exhibition of old-world methods—treating the unfortunate and penniless as if they were no more than cattle.

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These are perilous times. No sane man will deny that the very foundations of our democratic government are insecure. Wisdom and humility are needed as never before in America's history.

Something like ten millions of men are out of regular employment. The number is growing,

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TOWNSHIP LEGION POST, AUXILIARY CHOOSE DELEGATES

Oakland State Convention Will Draw Many Legionnaires

With the state American Legion and Auxiliary convention to be held in Oakland, August 15, 16 and 17, only two weeks off, members of the Washington township Legion post and Auxiliary are making plans to be adequately represented.

Official delegates to the conclave were chosen at a recent meeting, and these will attend all business sessions of the convention, while many of the other members expect to be in attendance during the three days. Both the legion post and the auxiliary are planning to have as many members as possible out for the mammoth parade scheduled for opening day

Every post and unit in the state are expected to participate in the parade which will cover the principal business streets of Oakland. Brass bands and crack drum corps will feature this colorful march.

During the three days the convention is in session, open house will be held at the Veterans Memorial building, Niles, township post and unit headquarters, in order to allow many of the visitors expected from distant parts of the state to inspect it while on their sight seeing tours through the country.

The legion delegates are Frank Vargas, of Niles, post commander; F. Veit, of Newark, adjutant, and Elmer Nordby, of Irvington. The auxiliary delegates are Mrs. J. W. Myers and Mrs. Robert Vieux, all of Niles; and Mrs. Elmer Norby, of Irvington.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS SEAT OFFICERS AT NILES

At impressive ceremonies Tuesday night in the Odd Fellows' hall, Niles, Laura Loma parlor of the Niles Native Daughters of the Golden West held installation of officers for the coming year. District Deputy Clue, of the Fruitvale parlor, presided at the installation rites.

Visitors from all the parlors in the district were present for the affair. After the installation, refreshments were served.

The following officers were seated: Katherine Plumb, president; Lillian Burr, first vice-president; Martha Crane, second vice-president; Adelaide Martin, third vice-president; Edna Wellington, marshall; Emma Murray, inside sentinel, Anna Alberg, outside sentinel; Ethel Fournier, recording secretary; Rose Fournier, financial secretary; Mary Bernard, treasurer; Rose Mezza, Mae Moore and Belle Cahill, trustees.

RETURNS FROM VACATION

Laura Dutra returned Monday to her duties at the Niles Pacific Gas and Electric Company office after enjoying a two weeks' vacation spent at Santa Cruz. She was accompanied by Miss Lillian Bettencourt, of Hanford. Ruth Posten, who replaced Miss Dutra during her absence, has returned to Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones returned last week after enjoying a ten days' vacation at Paradise Park in the Santa Cruz mountains.

ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS

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Chat *today* with family and friends in

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AMADOR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL BAND PLAYS AT PARADISE PARK

Members of the Amador Valley high school band played at a concert held in connection with the field day celebration at Paradise Park over the week-end.

Members got free transportation to Santa Cruz in a bus. They met at the Pleasanton Post Office at 7:30 Sunday morning. It was an all day affair. Food was furnished to the band members.

Everyone was asked to take his instrument, uniform, music, and a bathing suit. The afternoon was devoted to a number of sports, mainly swimming.

Sonora—Gold strike in Sugarman mine, three miles north of here, yielded about $8,00 in three days.

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ALVARADO FETE IS ATTENDED BY CROWDS

St. Annes and St. Anthony's celebration held Sunday morning and afternoon attracted many people. High mass was held in the morning at St. Anne's church with Reverend Father Bray officiating.

The North Oakland band and the S. P. R. S. I. drill team marched on Smith street.

In the afternoon an auction of farm products was held. Manuel Gomes and Manuel Pacheco were auctioneers. A barbacue on the church grounds was held.

Joe Lewis and Antone Perry were in charge of the dance given at the new hall on Watkins street.

John Menezes was chairman of the celebration.

Alvarado Newly-Weds Back From Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Perry returned Saturday from a week's honeymoon in the south.

Saturday evening at the Parrish hall they were given a reception. The guests enjoyed dancing.

The couple will make their home with Mrs. Perry's mother, Mrs. Penza, of Decoto.

BIRTHDAY FETE

Miss Dorothy Mello was honored at a birthday party Sunday evening at the Parrish hall.

The guests enjoyed dancing and delightful refreshments.

Many relatives and friends were present.

MOVE TO HAYWARD

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hansen and son, Arthur, moved to Hayward this week. Hansen was proprietor of the hotel on the corner of Levee and V streets until about ten years ago.

Alvarado Personals

Mr and Mrs. Erle Hellwig and daughter, Linda Jane, left this week for Brookdale to spend a two weeks' vacation.

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V. Naharro spent Monday in Oakland.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richmond were in Santa Cruz Sunday visiting Mrs. John Ralph.

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Mrs. E. A. Richmond entertained the Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Hocking and Mrs. G. Wolff visited relatives in San Francisco Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Ferreira and son, of San Leandro, visited Mrs. John Vargas this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nunes, of Santa Clara, visited Antone Davilla Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Hinkley, of Newark, visited Mrs. Nellie Hinkley Sunday.

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Miss Vanessa Silva, of Stockton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Silva.

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Miss Madelyn Avila enjoyed Monday at home. She is training at the Providence Hospital in Oakland.

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Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hellwig attended the Shrine convention in San Francisco.

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Misses Clarabelle Logan and Jeanette Richmond are enjoying the Olympic games in Los Angeles.

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A. Norris and Mary Jane Hinkley witnessed a Shrine parade in San Francisco last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Laplante and daughters, Dorothy and Willa, of Berkeley, were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. J. P. Boyd Monday.

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Mrs. Gilbert Peyton and sons, Wayne and Arnold, of Long Beach, are visiting G. S. Peyton this week. They will remain ununtil September.

Alvarado Ladies Aid Has Enjoyable Party

The Ladies' Aid held a card party at their regular meeting, Thursday, in the I O. O. F. hall. Many guests were present and enjoed the afternoon playing whist.

Some of the honor winners were Mrs. Emma Hellwig, of Mount Eden, first; Mrs. Bergman and Miss Margaret Fair, of Centerville, and Mrs. A. E. Vargas, Mrs. Gregory Perry, Mrs. Frances Robie, and Miss Alice Menezes, of Alvarado. Mrs. Anna Amaral won consolation.

Mrs Charles Plumb, of Hayward, won the door honor, a lovely homemade cake.

Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. James Hunter and Mrs. O. J. Emery were in charge.

Alvarado Deer Hunters Out On Opening Day

Nick Lewis, Joseph Dutra, Kenneth Ferry, Gregory Perry, and Angelo Dekidos were among those from Alvarado tramping the hills August 1 in search of deer.

Dekidos was the first to come home with the coveted prize.

Perry and Ferry are expected to return Wednesday. They have been hunting in Black Mountain.

PLAN FOR DANCE

A meeting of the Holy Ghost committees was held Tuesday night at their new hall. Plans are being made for their dance to be given soon.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Several members of the Harvey family attended the funeral of Captain Harvey in Oakland Thursday. Captain Harvey is a cousin of E. S. Harvey and F. C. Harvey.

Alvarado Personals

Joan Boyd returned home Wednesday after a vacation with Miss Sally Powers in Oakland, and Miss Willa Laplante in Berkeley.

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Miss Ruth Montavaldo, of San Gregorie, spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Helen Baird.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter enjoyed a trip to Big Basin Sunday.

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Mrs. J. P. Boyd and daughter, Bernice, visited friends and relatives in Thousand Oaks and Oakland Sunday.

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Mrs. C. W. Baird and daughter, Helen, and Miss Ruth Montavaldo motored to San Gregoris Tuesday for a week's vacation with Mrs. Baird's sister, Mrs. Eva Montavaldo.

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Mrs. Dolores Parades spent Monday in Oakland shopping.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Brockman and daughter, of Hayward, visited Mrs. Brockman's sister, Mrs. G. P. Hellwig Sunday.

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Mrs. Frank Yrsunsa and children returned from a two weeks' stay in Oakland with relatives.

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Mrs. M. P. Goularte and children, Mrs. Gregory Perry and Mrs. Antone Perry motored to Oakland Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beinik.

Van Nuys—Steel work completed on eight-story tower section of local branch city hall.

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LETTERS *to the* EDITOR

THINGS ANTHROPOLOGIST.

Niles, Calif. July 30, 1932

Dear Mr. Parks:

In accordance with the Register's apparent policy of non-sensational news, I am voicing a mild objection to an article published in last weeks edition concerning some recent "discoveries" at Newark. It is my contention that the method of research has been haphazard and decidedly unscientific. There has been no reference to previous excavations or to the honestly factual work of eminent anthropologists who have chartered the mound in question and cross-sectioned several identical mounds in the same area. It is with considerable pain that one sees the modern sensationalism, so rife in other fields, begin to saturate facts of scientific significance. I believe that the public at large appreciates accuracy. I see no reason for the creation of fictitious scientific jargon merely for the purpose of publicising individuals. Upon examination of the so-called discovery, I find the following facts, unimposing it is true, but nevertheless supported by such archaeologists as Kroeber and Gifford, under whom I have had the good fortune to study:

The mound is a dwelling-mound, and not a specific burial-mound as the discoverer intimates. The forebears of the Saklan Costanoans (the aborigines of the area) lived in definite localities for generations. The refuse of such villages, cast aside continuously for centuries, has built up the gently convex hummocks known to us as shell mounds. No special burial places were used. The dead were interred beneath the very floors of the huts in a sitting position since such cramping of the bodies required a smaller hole and the Costanoans were not fond of physical exertion). There can ben no ritualistic signifance attached to the sitting posture of the skeletons. It is uncontroversial that the aboriginal culture of this region was entirely lacking in religious practices.

The article also stated that the dead were buried in clay shrouds, which later had been baked to a kiln-burned brick hardness. This is pure imagination. I happened to know that none of the disinterred bodies were found so encased and that no impressions of any member of the human body were observed in the clay. The "kiln-burned brick" material is nothing more nor less than the baked earth from countless camp fires with which the mound glowed for centuries. The other mounds, situated near the Coyote hills, are equally prolific in such baked earth.

The mound in question is located in a field of clay loam and not adobe as stated in the article. The soils of this area were tested and classified in 1930 by an expedition sent out from the University of California. I was a member of the party under the leadership of Dr. Carl O. Sauer, prominent physiographer and president of the National Association of Geographers. The mound was chartered by us as being situated on the natural levee of the "Sanjen delos Alisos," an old channel of the Alameda Creek. It is a physiographic impossibility for adobe to be deposited in such a location.

The statement that the mound may be the oldest yet discovered is sheer fallacy. The estimated age of one thousand years is exactly twenty-six hundred years less than that of the Ellis Landing mound at Richmond, excavated and studied by C. Hart Merriam in 1906.

The so-called albatross bones are probably the remains of seagulls rather than those of the huge seabird. However, since no complete skeleton has been assembled there can be no sincere scientific conclusion. The albatross, incidentally, is not necessarily a tropical bird but is an ocean species, occurring all over the seas far from land.

True archaeological research begins with the assumption of nothing. No ideas are ventured until supported by fact, or engendered by watertight theories. It is easy to be sensational, and, indeed, it is difficult not to be. Only by the closest classification and listing are the conclusions reduced to truth with unfounded material excised. Furthermore the student must be thoroughly cognizant of the work of his predecessors, for it is by a slow piecing together that cultures are unearthed. Archaeology seeks facts, not an audience.

The shell mounds at Newark have been carefully searched for artifacts of unusual design and for evidences of ancient practices of anthropological interest. The recent sensationalism is untrue, unfounded and, worst of all, unfair to the truth-seeking members of our community.

This region, long known to students of California archaeology, is one of the few areas of the state from which a minimum of spurious "finds" have come. This fact has been appreciated by the men who are slowly and painstakingly seeking out the ancient cultures of the state: Let us preserve our reputation.

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Political Announcements

FOR SUPERVISOR—First Dist.

I hereby announce my candidacy for election to the office of supervisor from this, the First district, Alameda county, and to respectfully solicit the consideration and support of voters at the primary election in August.

(Signed) M. J. OVERACKER.

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Nothing more to pay until October 1st.

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As a candidate for Supervisor I am fully awake to the fact that our taxes are beyond our ability, as property owners, to pay, and I recognize that ways and means **MUST** be found to reduce them.

In view of these facts I submit the platform on which I faithfully pledge myself to stand:

To support economical and tax saving measures.

The voluntary reduction of the supervisors' salaries in proportion to the reduction, already made or to be made, of the salaries and wages of other county employees.

The elimination of expensive automobiles furnished the supervisors by the county.

The elimination of the position of road foremen as under the present charter they are given no authority over road work.

To dispense with the unfair and unnecessary road tax.

Fairness and impartiality to all seeking county employment and aid.

Assure the county of receiving full value for money expended.

Respectfully submitted to the voters of the first supervisoral district.

(Signed) M. J. OVERACKER.

CARD PARTY

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ST. AUGUSTINE'S PARISH

Tuesday Night-August 9

8:30 P. M.

Scores of Valuable Prizes

1st score prize: Hand made patch quilt.
1st door prize: Patch quilt.

Score Cards, with refreshments..... 50c

SHRINERS PLAN FOR ANNUAL NILES BARBECUE

Although the recent Shrine convention in San Francisco was a grand affair, members of the Southern Alameda County Shrine Club are making elaborate preparations for a gala event of their own when their annual barbecue will be held on Ed. Rose's ranch near Niles during the latter part of August.

A delegation from Aahmes Temple, of Oakland, headed by Roy S. Milligan, illustrious potentate, will be among the many Shriners planning to attend the barbecue, which is expected to be one of the most enjoyable gatherings ever held by the organization in this section of the county, according to R. E. Albertsen, of Newark, club president.

On the committee arranging for the affair are Ralph V. Richmond, of Niles; Nels Nelsen and Hans Vejby, of Hayward; Arthur M. Carden, Dr. Luther Michael and Paul Brannon, of San Leandro; Tom Norris, of Livermore; Tom Silva, of Pleasanton, and P. C. Hansen, of Centerville.

Those from Oakland who will take an important part in the barbecue are Dr. John L. Graham, vice-mayor; Robert Abernathy, Aahmes temple recorder; Herman Engelhardt, chairman of the Shrine out-of-town committee, and Leland C. Clark.

Man Fails To Appear On Petty Theft Charge

Bail was forfeited in the case of Fred Duarte, of Centerville, in the Niles justice court Tuesday afternoon when the defendent failed to appear to answer petty theft charges.

Duarte apparently had departed for parts unknown, an action with which he seems quite familiar. The man was said to have stolen several gallons of gasoline over a year ago and fled the country, only to find the petty theft charge awaiting him when he returned this winter.

Children Problem To Face Welfare Board

The problem of caring for needy children in this section of the county will be the principal topic of discussion at the meeting of the southern Alameda county welfare board to be held this morning (Thursday) at the Niles public library, according o Miss Mary McKeever, secretary.

The board is facing a large number of cases this year, and it is expected that more than can be taken care of at children's home at Valle Vista will come before the board this winter.

Playground Fixtures Purchased By School

All the playground equipment for the coming year has been purchased by the Williamson school, near Niles, which will open in approximately a month.

Plans are being made for one of the most successful sessions in the school's history this year. A staff of talented instructors already has been secured to teach the courses planned for the year.

Wage Law Violation Continued At Niles

The case of Joe Perry, of Centerville, charged with violation of the state wage laws, was continued for two weeks, in the Niles justice court Tuesday afternoon.

Perry is said to have discharged some employees and refused to pay wages due.

TRAFFIC FINES

A decrease in traffic law violations cases was noted in the Niles justice court Tuesday afternoon when only six offenders appeared before Judge J. A. Silva. Total fines reached $45.

WEEK'S VACATION

Reverend and Mrs. E. G. Brinkmeyer and family left Saturday to spend a week's vacation at Pacific Grove. They will return for the resumption of services at the Congregational church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sears, of Redwood, were callers at the Hotel Belvoir Sunday.

SUNOL -DEPARTMENT-

THOUGHTFUL VISITOR PROVES BOON TO JOHNSONS

It is hard to say whether it is best to leave your doors locked or unlocked. Such was the question confronting Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson when they returned late Thursday night and found their clothing in their yard and the doors barred.

Investigation revealed that there had been a fire inside their house. They had left their home at 2 o'clock. At three o'clock, smoke was noticed pouring out of the house. Someone had broken into the home and extinguished the fire and replaced the burned bedding.

CRITICAL CONDITION

Manuel Qualio was rushed to the Veteran's hospital in San Francisco Sunday. He is still in a critical condition, according to his doctor.

BACK FROM HOSPITAL

R. Bridget has returned from the hospital where he recovered from tonsilitis.

MOTOR TRIP

Jean Trimingham and Edward Vervais motored to Alameda Wednesday, also to San Francisco to see the Shriners' parade.

Sunol Personals

Miss Turk, of San Francisco, is visiting Miss M. Buttner.

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Mrs. Fred Buttner returned to Mill Valley, after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Kardoza.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Mendoza and son, Laurence, motored to Sacramento Sunday.

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Mrs R. Ellis visited her mother in Pleasanton Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva and niece, Helen Smith, visited relatives in Hayward Friday.

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Mrs. R. C. Bullock made a business trip to San Jose Friday.

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Mrs. Bonner motored to Niles Tuesday

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Mrs. Agnes Ager has returned home after a two weeks' vacation in Mill Valley.

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Mrs. L Burgner called on a few friends here Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Thompson is around after being confined to her bed for two months.

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Mrs. Flannighan, of Oakland, is taking care of Mrs. C. D. Thompson.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Day and Elizabeth, attended the Shriners' convention in San Francisco last week.

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Jean Trimingham, Charlotte Trimingham and Edward Vervais motored to San Jose Thursday.

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Mrs. R. C. Bullock and Mrs. Givens visited W C. Givens in Cupertina Saturday.

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Francee Buttner returned Monday from two weeks in Paradise Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bullock attended a party given by Mrs. Sorenson Saturday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Robinson and son, Jack, Mrs. E. Warren and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tonray, Virginia Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vaughn, all of Berkeley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McMillen.

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Little Mary Faubion, of Pleasanton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McMillen.

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Jimmie and Virginia Thompson visited friends in Livermore Sunday.

ATTEND RACES

A number of boys from Sunol and Pleasanton attended races at Neptune Beach Sunday. Those from Sunol were Lorin Buttner, Eitel Shrouder, Kelly Lee and John Trimingham, Jr.

ENTERTAIN WITH PARTY

Murl Hurley entertained a number of guests at a swimming party Tuesday. Those present were: Beverly Rosa, Annett Georgis, Lorna Blacow, Dorothy Alameda, Jean Trimingham, Betty Roraback and Mary Able.

Sunol Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoag spent the week-end with Mrs. J. Hoag.

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Jess Mendoza, Charles Andrade, accompanied by Kenneth Ferry, of Centerville, and Gregory Perry, of Alvarado, left Sunday for Pine Ridge to spend several days deer hunting.

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Mrs Gregory Perry, of Alvarado spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mendoza.

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Mrs. C. B. Overacker, of Niles, and Mrs. Ranlett, of Oakland, visited Mrs. Bonner Wednesday.

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Miss K. Tehan and Mrs. J. Cronin, of Dublin, visited Mrs. K. Brandstetter Monday afternoon.

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LIBRARY REPORT

Circulation of books and magazines for the month of July, 299. Attendance 170, with six visitors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Perry visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mendoza.

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Miss K. Tehan is the chairman of the coming club party in Pleasanton Tuesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marino Iacopi, of San Francisco, visited Hazel Mendoza Sunday.

Moorpark—Improvements made to Valley Bakery.

Del Mar—Byerts & Dunn, of Los Angeles, received $107,652 contract for construction of overhead crossing at this place.

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Watermelons each **10c**
Celery Large bunches **5c**
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Par
A perfect concentrated Soap
Large Package **29c**

Tomatoes Taste Tell Puree
2½ size can **3** for **25c**

Peas Morning Dew Brand
No. 2 can **2** for **25c**

Pork and Beans Campbell's Ready to serve
4 cans **19c**

Kippered Snacks
Fine for Lunches Can **5c**

Peaches Del Monte or Libby's
2½ can **10c**

Tomatoes Pierce Solid Pack
No. 2½ can **10c**

Cream of Wheat
Large Package **21c**

Formay Shortening
3 lb. can **49c**

Dunbar Shrimps
For Salads and Cocktails
2 for **25c**

Airway
COFFEE
Rich in aroma and flavor
lb. **19c**

Ginger Ale Pale Face or Napa Rock **3** bottles **19c**

Biscuits Ballard Oven Ready
Package **10** biscuits **10c**

Malted Milk Thompson's
Its double malted and excellent food. **1** lb. can **39c**

Toilet Tissue Zee brand
4 rolls **15c**

Ivory Soap
6 oz. bars **5** bars **23c**
10 oz. bars **2** bars **15c**

Deviled Ham
Original Underwood's
⅛ size can **5c**

Tomatoe Soup Van Camp's
4 cans **19c**

Salad Oil Maximum brand
Quart bottle **25c**

Soap Chips Quick suds
Soft as velvet **3** lbs. **29c**

M J B Coffee 1 lb can **34c**

BACON
Eastern Sugar Cured
By the piece lb. **15c**

FLOUR
La Pina or Safeway
100 lb. bag **$1.85**

CENTERVILLE REGISTER

CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

Aug. 5—Betsy Ross, Native Daughters, Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 5—Centerville Athletic Club, Town Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 8—Centerville Fire Department Meeting, Fire House, 7 p.m.
Aug. 9—Native Sons, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 9—Native Sons, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 11—Knights of Columbus, Parish Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 11—Knights of Pythias, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 13—Masonic Hall, 8 p. m.
Aug. 17—Lions Club, El Lido Cafe.
Aug. 22—Victory Circle, Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.

DECOTO WOMAN IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

After an illness of several weeks, Mrs. Estefania Hernandez died at her home n Decoto Tuesday morning. She was fifty years old at the time of her passing.

The deceased was a native of Spain, but had resided at Decoto for nineteen years. She is survived by her husband, Victor, and several children.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning (Wednesday) at the Corpus Christi church, Niles, with Father McCaul officiating. The body was laid to rest in the Centerville Holy Ghost cemetery. Botelho funeral parlors were in charge.

ATTEND OLYMPICS

Mrs. Matilda Enos accompanied by Florinda Furtado left Sunday morning for Los Angeles where they will attend the Olympic Games.

RETURNS TO HOME

Mrs. W. A. Cuttle, of Oroville, and Miss Alice Beack, of Michigan, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George A. Coit, have left for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dusterberry entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. Knudsen, of Oakland, on Sunday.

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Mrs. J. Kirkish was a business visitor in San Francisco Tuesday.

FLAMES DESTROY HOUSE NEAR CENTERVILLE

Fire of unknown origin destroyed a house belonging to Frank Rose in Sack City near Centerville last Thursday night.

Approximately $400 damage was caused by the blaze which threatened to spread to neighboring buildings. The timely arrival of the Centerville fire department, however, averted any danger.

Benefit Card Party Results In Success

The arbor party given by Mrs. F. O. Bunting last week for the benefit of needy children was a huge success in every way. Five tables of cards were in progress during the afternoon. Proceeds from the affair amounted to $6.25.

In the card play, Miss Jewel Anderson won first honors and Miss Bergman, consolation. On the afternoon of August 10, another benefit bridge party will be held with six tables of cards to be played. Due to the many offers of help being received, it is planned to give a benefit party at Memorial Hall for the public in the near future.

Miss Florence Aust left Monday for a two weeks' vacation trip to the north. She will drive as far as Victoria. She was accompanied by her mother.

BOTELHO BUILDING IS APPROACHING COMPLETION

With the last coat of plaster being applied this week, the new mortuary under process of construction for F. F. Botelho funeral parlors is assuming the appearance of an attractive building which will prove a credit to Centerville.

Built in the latest design and style, the mortuary will be fitted with the most modern equipment, and will undoubtedly stand out as one of the finest structures of its type in this section of the county. It is expected to be ready for occupancy by the first of September.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. SILVEY

Mrs. Laura Silvey, who has resided in Washington township for the past fifty years, answered the call of death Tuesday morning at the Highland Hospital in Oakland. She had been ill for several weeks.

The deceased was the wife of Frank M. Silvey, who lives on the Alvarado Creek road near Alvarado. Several brothers and sisters also survive. She was fifty years of age.

Funeral services were held at nine thirty yesterday morning (Wednesday) from the Alvarado church, with Father Bray officiating. Burial was made in the Centerville Holy Ghost cemetery. Botelho funeral parlors had charge of funeral arrangements.

Centerville Personals

Father Souza has returned to his duties at the Holy Ghost church, Centerville, after a vacation spent at Monterey.

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Jean and Robert Coit have gone to Oroville for a ten days' stay.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson entertained friends at dinner and bridge on Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. W. L. McWhirter and sons, Tom and David, spent Tuesday in San Jose.

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Allen G. Norris left Saturday for a week's vacation in Los Angeles where he will attend the Olympic Games.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Alexander were in Centerville Saturday, on their return trip north, going as far as Vancouver, B. C.

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John Chandler is home from Trinity for a week.

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Mrs. W. De Camp and son, of Jerome, Arizona, were guests of Mrs. E. Chandler Thursday.

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Miss Barbara Ingram, of Gridley, who has ben visiting her cousin, Miss B. Robinson for two weeks returned home Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbone and family are enjoying a two weeks' camping trip in the Lake Tahoe country.

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Mrs. Mary Mickle, of Berkeley, was a Centerville visitor Sunday.

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Mrs. G. S. Holeman and children have returned to Centerville after spending a month at Capitola.

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Ada McBride was a visitor in San Jose Thursday.

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Dr. G. S. Holeman spent Sunday in Capitola.

Vacaville — Steel tank, constructed by Pacific Gas & Electric Company at cost of $10,000, completed.

Gridley—Pacific Gas & Electric Company plan expenditure of $5,000 for reconstruction of local sub-station.

PIONEER WOMAN OF CENTERVILLE TAKEN BY DEATH

Funeral Services Held On Tuesday for Mrs. M. Perry

One of the oldest residents in the Centerville district passed to her reward Saturday night when Mrs. Gertrude Perry died at her home on the Centerville-Irvington highway. She was eighty-seven years of age.

Although a native of the Azores Islands, Mrs. Perry had lived in Washington township for the past sixty years and had many friends in this community. She was the wife of the late Manuel S. Perry, and is survived by four sons, Manuel, Frank, Joseph and John Perry ,who are all well-known in Centerville.

Funeral services were held at the Holy Ghost church, Centerville, at nine thirty Tuesday morning. Low mass was said for the soul of the deceased, with Father Souza officiating.

Interment was made in the Centerville Holy Ghost cemetery. Botelho funeral parlors were in charge.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry and son, John, are spending a two weeks vacation in Santa Cruz.

PLEASANTON GAME HUNTERS SEE BEAR

"Thar's b'ars in them thar hills," might well have been the words of Telo Marino and Larry Messa on their return recently from an excursion into the Livermore mountains.

The two Pleasanton young men went up on Pine Ridge in the Livermore hills expressly seeking a trace of a bear. The week before when they had been in the same region they had discovered bear tracks. So they hunted Mr. Bear in earnest.

About one mile above Camp Le Roy, owned by John J. Amaral, the hunters sighted their quarry. They managed to get two shots at him, a big brown bear, before he turned and apparently started for them.

The two big game hunters suddenly decided they wanted to be elsewhere and departed so rapidly, that Marino stumbled and slid some distance down hill on his elbow. And to verify the whole story, Marino can display the large scab on the side of his arm, the result of that downhill slide.

Sacramento—Fourteen construction projects, estimated to cost $3,300,000, on state highway advertising program for this month.

Tulare—Mr. and Mrs. Bogdanovich purchased City Fish Market, 231 South K street.

Pleasanton Man Is Arrested as Canine Poisoner

Joe Rose, of Pleasanton, was at liberty last week under one hundred dollars bail on a charge of setting out poison for animals. Rose's arrest yesterday morning by Constable Albert E. Vervais came as the result of the deaths by poisoning of seven dogs during the past week. The charge was pressed by Ollie Page, whose fox terrier pup was seen to pick up a morsel of meat from the front yard of the Rose Main street home last Wednesday evening and died inside of five minutes.

A search revealed several pieces of dried meat coated with a white powder in the Rose front yard. On a search warrant, sworn to by Page, a can and a bottle of arsenic sulphate were found in the basement of the Rose home. An analysis of the poisons by Ashton Britten, of Sunol, showed that the powder on the meat had come from the can.

Rose was arrigned before Judge C. A. Gale last Friday morning and his trial set for Monday morning.

The first to become a victim of the poisonous food and probably the best known was "Boots," a lanky, black animal owned by John Amaral. "Boots" was an intelligent dog, and was well-liked by the majority in Pleasanton. He died the week before.

According to the reaction of the poison on the dog, it was found that the dose was made very strong, and the animal was dead in less than five minutes from the time the food was eaten.

Another small pet dog, "Terry," owned by A. D. Irwin, died the next day. The dog died quickly, and his reactions to the poison were similar to those displayed by "Boots."

Several other dogs in town have been reported to have been poisoned also during the week. Among these were the pets of Tony Silva, William Graham, Telo Marino, and Hugo Radbruch.

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CENTERVILLE 52

U.P.E.C. Elects Lodge Officers in Pleasanton

Installation and Birthday Party To Be Held August 24

Officers of the Pleasanton U. P. E. C. lodge were elected at a business meeting held at the I. D. E. S. hall last week and will be installed at a meeting to be held on August 24.

Aside from the regular installation, the lodge will put on a special program celebrating its forty-second anniversary. It will also put on a brief memorial program in honor of the late Serino C. Diavila, who passed away several months ago. Diavila was highly esteemed in the lodge, being one of its charter members and its first president.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the installation and social program is composed of Jose Vargas, chairman, T. H. Silver, and Ernest Schween.

The officers to be installed are Andrew Bettencourt, past president; Alfred Soito, president; Joseph M. Pereira, vice president; Joseph Bairos, secretary; Thomas H. Silver, treasurer; Joseph C. Henriques, master of ceremonies; J. M. Perry, marshall; Jose B. Pereira, inside guardian; Joseph V. Perry, outside guardian; Andrew Bettencourt, Jose V. Periera and Joseph Soita, trustees; and Dr. J. Hal Cope and Dr. W. D'Acy Chase, medical examiners.

Santa Ana—Spotlight plant may be located here.

STOCKTON AUTO THIEVES CAUGHT IN PLEASANTON

Two boys giving their names and addresses as Arthur Curly and Raymond Blanch, both of Stockton, were caught at the gravel pits last Tuesday by Constable A. E. Vervais, afer stealing a car from Stockton.

The car was taken from out of a Stockton woman's garage and was abandoned in the Altamont pass.

The two boys were turned over to the sheriff's office and will be lodged in the detention home.

Fallbrook—James Market opened for business.

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Niles Woman Feted With Birthday Party

In honor of her birthday, Mrs. Manuel Ferreira, of Niles, was surprised by a group of friends recently. A delightful evening of dancing and playing of games was enjoyed by those present. The guest of honor was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Maderios, Mr. and Mrs. John Duarte and daughter, Carrie, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Duarte, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ferreira, all of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. Correa and son, Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Serpa and daughter, Ellen, of Centerville; Mr. and Mrs. Leal and children, of Centenville; and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vargas of Mission San Jose.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. H. R. Hunt will return today after spending several weeks visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Chester Hatch, Jr., at Yosemite. Mrs. Chaster Hatch, Sr., has been living at the Hunt home during Mrs. Hunt's absence.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth and son, Vernon, returned Saturday from a week of camping at Douglas. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smithers, of Ripon.

WRIST BROKEN

Ernest Perry, 16, of Niles, suffered a broken left wrist Friday morning when he fell out of a pear tree at his home. The injured limb was treated by Dr. E. C. Grau.

Irvington Register

By ANNA BETTENCOURT

Irvington Ball Tossers Lose To San Jose Nine

The Ivington ball club was administered a 13 to 8 trouncing by the Mindell Sport Store nine, of San Jose, Sunday in a contest played at San Jose. Numerous errors as well as ability for the opposition to connect freely with the ball was responsible for the Irvington defeat.

Joe Blacow and Dargitz performed on the mound for Irvington, while E. L. Rose was on the receiving end.

Merced—North-Moller Co., Jackson, Mich., awarded $93,340 contract for contruction of new post office here.

CARD PARTY

An enjoyable card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rose in Irvington Friday night. Among those present were Mrs. Florence Campos, Miss Elsie Costa, Mr. and Mrs. George Cash, Miss Ruth Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rose.

Dr. Raoul Campos, of San Francisco, was a visitor in Irvington Sunday.

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Mr and Mrs. H. F. Weston, Miss Anne Weston and Mrs. Jane Blacow were Oakland visitors Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Minard have returned from a vacation spent in the Siskiyou mountains.

Warm Springs

By IRMA LEAL

LEAVE ON TRIP

Miss Irene George, of Niles, accompanied by Miss Alice Perry and Miss Margaret King, of San Leandro; and Mrs. Emma Gomez, of San Jose, left Tesday for an extended trip to the southern part of the state.

M. and Carvola, of San Leandro, Mr. and Mrs. Mello, of San Francisco, and R. Lewis, of Sunol, visited the Caton Laurence family over the week-end.

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Margaret Breitwieser returned home from San Francisco Tuesday where she visited with friends.

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Ralph Richmond, of Niles, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oliver, of Niles, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Silva on Sunday.

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Mrs. Chas. Ryan was a visitor in San Jose Tuesday.

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Tony Smith went to San Francisco on business.

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Joe Santos and Caton Laurence visited friends in Milpitas Monday night.

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Mrs. Saupaugh and Mrs. Reads, of Fresno, visited with relatives during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Laurence and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Rose, of Milpitas, Sunday.

HAYWARD SHOW FEATURES JAMES DUNN THIS WEEK

A tale of the prize ring will be offered at the Hayward theater Friday and Saturday nights, August 5 and 6, when James Dunn is featured with Spencer Tracy in 'Society Girl."

A double bill is on the program for Sunday and Monday, August 7 and 8. George O'Brien is starred in "Mystery Ranch," and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., appears in "Love Is a Racket." Barbara Stanwyck will appear in "Shopworn" Tuesday night, which is China night.

For Wednesday and Thursday nights, August 10 and 11, Jean Harlow is starred in "Red Headed Woman" with Chester Morris.

Work on a new home for Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mezza, of Niles, is scheduled to begin Monday.

Belmont—Work started on $250,000 broadcasting station here for Radio KPO.

Westwood — El Cielito, new apartment building representing investment of over $50,000, formally opened on Lanfair avenue.

MISSION MARKER MODEL IS ON EXHIBIT

On exhibit at the studio of the sculptor, Stephen Beames, at 110 Arbor Drive, Piedmont, the model for the monument which is expected to be used as a marker at the historic Mission in Mission San Jose, is drawing the acclaim of large numbers of people who have inspected it.

The movement to make the old mission a spot of historic interest for tourists and others, which is being sponsored by several organizations, is headed in Washington townhip by Mrs. J. R. Whipple, whose efforts have largely been responsible for the selection of a site at the Mission for the marker.

At a recent meeting of the John Rutledge chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, of Berkeley, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane, of Niles, definite steps to obtain a monument at the mission were taken and the work of the sculptor in creating a model resulted. Joseph R. Knowland, of the Oakland Tribune and president of the state historical society, has been one of the chief figure in the effort made to mark the Mission San Jose site.

The model on display at the scuplptor's studio is a six-sided figue, with a design sympolizsome historic event in the settlement and civilization of the state engraved on each side.

The model has been placed on exhibit for the public to inspect and criticize before the monument to be placed at the mission is finally selected and established. The site for the marker is being prepared at the present time.

Niles Personal Items

Mrs. J. R. Whipple was a visitor in San Jose Tuesday.

Mrs. Herhan, of Oakland, visited friends at the Hotel Belvoir Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blacow spent the week-end visiting friends in San Jose.

Jack Williamson enjoyed Sunday at Capitola.

William Helm was in San Francisco Tuesday on business.

Clarence Pine and Joe Blacow spent Wednesday in San Francisco on business.

Personal Items

Elma Cox, of Niles, is spending a week at his grandmother's ranch in Castro Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cox, of Richmond, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cox, of Niles, Saturday.

Herbert Carr has returned from a three weeks' vacation spent at San Andreas and Juniper Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMullen enjoyed a drive up the Alum Rock canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiser spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rogers in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Alberg and family visited relatives in Oakland Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Bennett and family visited relatives in Berkeley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fournier and family enjoyed a trip to Monterey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cozzi attended the auto races at Neptune Beach Sunday.

M. and Mrs. F. E. Jones spent Sunday at their summer home in Paradise Park.

Jack Nobriga was among those who attended the auto races at Neptune Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Glassoway and Miss Mary Campbell, all of Oakland, stayed at the E. A. Ellsworth home last week, while the Ellsworths were away on a camping trip.

Ernest Sorsoli and Bob Machado, of Martinez, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Duffey and daughter, Patricia, spent the week-end at their summer home in Paradise Park.

Mrs. Wildenar and children, of Taft, have returned home after spending two weeks at the H. R. Hunt home.

Miss E. J. Rattigan, of Alameda, was a guest of Mrs. J. R. Whipple over the weekend.

Charles Jordan, Pacific Gas and Electric Company publicity man, was a visitor in Niles and Centerville last Wednesday.

Specials for Saturday

Corned Beef Tongues Each 50c
Plate Boiling Meat 3 lbs. for 25c
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Quality Market

NILES Delivery Service Phone 35

NILES CHURCH TO HOLD SERVICES ON SUNDAY

After a vacation since the latter part of June, services will be resumed at the Niles Congregational church, Niles, Sunday, August 7.

Reverend E. G. Brinkmeyer has urged everyone to be present for the opening services

Birthday Fete Held For Allen George

Master Clayton Allen George was given a party honoring his fifth birthday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank George on Monday.

Those present were:

Master Clayton Allen George, of Niles; Vernon Vargas, Decoto; Junior Frietas, Jack and Velma George, all of Hayward; Patricia Rose and Bernice Correia, both of San Lorenza; Lorraine Allen, of Pleasanton; Lorraine and Junior Gomes, of San Jose.

Master Clayton was presented with many beautiful gifts.

The tables and room was beautifully decorated in blue and pink and in the center of the table was a beautiful bouquet of pink carnations. A pink birthday cake was presented to Clayton.

Each child was given a pretty little favor, and games were played for which each child was awarded honors.

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Niles Personal Items

Sam Kearns was a San Jose caller Tuesday.

George Richards and Herbert Oliver flew to Sacramento in Richard's plane Monday.

Miss Blanche Madsen, of Napa, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Lorene Furtado, of Niles.

Tire inflation should be given more attention if the tires are expected to deliver maximum mileage. Under-inflated tires wear rapidly because they are subjected to a wiping action. Over-inflated tires wear rapidly because they have a tendency to skip and bounce over rough places. Over-inflated tires on the rear, or driving wheels, get the roughest treatment because when they strike the ground after bouncing they are usually revolving faster than the speed of the car. This results in a grinding action on the tread.

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Sweaters	.40	.45
Bath Robes	.75	.85
Leather Coats	.75	.85
Boy's Suits	.50	.60
HOUSEHOLD LIST		
Curtains	.75 up	.85 up
Comforters	.50	.60

Article	Cash and Carry	Call and Deliver
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Coats	.75 up	.85 up
Skirts	.50 up	.60 up
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Township Register

Reservoir Swimmers Face Heavy Fine and Jail Term

Three Boys and One Girl Are Caught at Calaveras

Three boys and one girl, all from Santa Clara county, face a possible sentence of one thousand dollars fine, or one year in the county jail, or both, as the result of a charge of swimming in water used for domestic purposes.

The four were caught in the waters of Calaveras resevoir early last Sunday morning by Dan McCarthy, of Sunol, deputy sheriff. They are Geneva Fickle, sixteen, of Palo Alto; George Place, seventeen, of San Jose; Edward George, seventeen, of San Jose; and Jack Bowers, seventeen, of Santa Clara. Charges against the four were pressed by A. W. Ebright, representing the city and county of San Francisco.

The four caught were but members of a party of fourteen young folk who were enjoying a midnight picnic. The arrests took place at four-thirty Sunday morning, according to McCarthy. The four culprits were brought to Pleasanton by Deputy Sheriff Hugo Radbruch and Constable Albert E. Vervais.

They were arraigned before Judge Charles A. Gale, in Pleasanton last Sunday morning. They appeared before Judge Gale again Tuesday morning for preliminary hearing.

Grand President Visits Rebekahs in Pleasanton

Large Crowds Turn Out for Affair in Odd Fellows' Hall

Before an audience of approximately 150 people, the Pleasanton Rebekah lodge received the official visit of the grand president of the Rebekah Assembly of California, Mrs. Clara Gilmore, of Stockton, at a meeting in the Odd Fellows' hall last Monday evening.

A candidate for the Livermore parlor was initiated by the Pleasanton girls last Monday. The new candidate was Marvel Dutton, of Livermore.

Other grand officers present at the meeting were Margarite Caswell, of San Francisco, grand vice president; Ada Madison, of San Francisco, grand secretary; Lenore Magini, of Oakland, grand treasurer; and James Hunter, of Alvarado, deputy grand master.

There were a number of visitors from Livermore, Niles, Irvington, Alvarado, and Centerville.

Grand President Gilmore was presented with a gift from the Pleasanton lodge. Mrs. Myrtle Madsen, noble grand, made the presentation.

A supper was served in the banquet rooms following the meeting. The rooms and tables were decorated in a color scheme of pink and green. Large baskets of flowers completed the table decorations.

Fire Destroys 40 Tons Bailed Hay Near Pleasanton

Feed Belonged To Emil Spotorno and John Avilla

A large fire in a setting of baled hay on the field farmed by Emil Spotorna and John Avilla, on Sycamore avenue, about one mile from Pleasanton, called the Pleasanton Fire Department out at ten o'clock last Tuesday night.

The setting was located about five hundred yards from the road. No cause for the fire was found. About forty tons of hay were burned.

The flames of the fire could be seen miles away shooting high into the night air. A large number of Pleasanton people and passersby witnessed the fire. The Pleasanton Fire Department remained on the scene until after midnight to keep the fire from spreading to nearby fields and houses.

THIS WON'T WORK IN PLEASANTON AGAIN

A gentleman of leisure, of the type America is famous for, ran up a bill with Manuel Oliveira, of Pleasanton, last Monday—a bill he will never collect.

The man in question entered the coffee shop of Oliveira at noon last Monday. He was cleanly dressed, and although his coat and pants didn't match, there was nothing which labeled him as a professional 'ison of rest," as he turned out to be.

He ordered and ate with evident relish Manuel's regular plate lunch. And when he had licked up the last crumb and helped himself to a generous supply of toothpicks, here's what happened:

Says he: "Charge it to the United States. I'm a representative of the government."

Says Manuel: "Wha - what do you mean? What department of the government?

Says he: "Well, I'm a citizen of the United States, and I guess I'm entitled to eat anyplace I please."

And out he walked with his stomach full and his mind at rest.

Y.M.I. Lodge Seats Officers In Pleasanton

James Lynne, of Oakland, To Conduct Installation Ritual

Officers of the Pleasanton Y. M. I. were installed at a meeting in the Parish Hall Wednesday evening.

James Lynne, of Oakland, deputy installing officer for the Y. M. I. installed the Pleasanton officers. The officers seated were elected at a meeting held recently and will serve a term of one year. Following the installation exercises, refreshments were served. A large crowd attended from the east bay cities and Livermore.

Emanuelle Mingoia was installed as president of the institute. The remainder of his staff consists of the following:

John S. Silva, past president; Frank P. Mederois, first vice president; Edward Holzreiter, second vice president; Joseph Bairos, recording secretary; Ernest Schween, financial secretary; William Sylvia, treasurer; Father James Viladomat, chaplain; Cyril Bairos, inside sentinel; James Giorgis, outside sentinel; Dr. Paul Dolan, medical examiner; Joseph Delucchi, Edward Dutra and John Amaral, trustees.

Young Smallwood Will Prosecute In Pleasanton

Banker's Son Takes Place of Harry A. Styles as Attorney

Deputy District Attorney Harry A. Styles, who has prosecuted many cases for the state in the Pleasanton court has been transferred to the Oakland police court, according to word received there last week.

His place will be taken in the very near future by Deputy District Attorney Stanley Smallwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smallwood, of Pleasanton. Young Smallwood, since his graduation from college, has been employed in the district attorney's office in Oakland.

The territory served in the past by Styles and now to be taken over by Smallwood comprises all courts outside of the city of Oakland. Included in this territory are Centerville, Livermore, Pleasanton, Niles, Hayward, San Leandro, Alameda, Berkeley, Piedmon, and Emeryville.

San Mateo—New Merkel building costing $200,00, opened.

El Dorado Rod & Gun Club planted 24,000 trout fry in county streams.

All Alice Needed Was a Firm Hand

By CLARISSA MACKIE

"OF COURSE, if I did not have all the money I wanted I wouldn't dream of playing with flying machines," Alice Wayne thought as she prepared to enter the little machine built for her own pleasure. She smiled a last good-by to the man who had her machine in charge as she rose from the ground. Little by little she ascended, bathed in moonlight, flooded with the fresh cold air of the upper planes.

"All my troubles are below," she thought with a bitter little laugh. Of course, she knew that her engagement to Charlie Blake was ended—had she not broken it herself yesterday. Still, he was not the only man in the world. She hoped that he would go to England on the next boat—that would be sailing today. So enthralled had she become in her problem that she was not aware where she had wandered when suddenly she heard an odd noise above the roar of the engine. She turned her head.

Another machine was behind her. Was the driver blind that he could not perceive her machine? Could she drop? Dared she?

Ignorance dares anything.

In an instant after she touched that small lever, the machine was volplaning toward the earth. A sudden faintness came over Alice Wayne. She could not find the same small lever to pull it forward to resume her even flying!

Suddenly she fainted—she did not feel it when the plane crashed among the branches of a huge, wide-spreading oak tree, and stayed there. She did not hear the voice of Charles Blake calling out to his servants as he came out to view the disaster.

"What is it, James?" demanded Blake hurriedly.

"Flying machine, sir," called the butler. "Somebody in here—unconscious, I guess."

"Better get him down—or do you want help?"

"He's a little fellow, sir, but we'll have to have a ladder."

They shouted for a ladder, and pretty soon a great stout ladder crashed through the branches and found a brace against a branch. "I'll take him down," said Blake, and picking up the little form was astonished at its lightness. He said nothing, however, and when he reached the ground, called to his housekeeper, and, still carrying his unconscious burden, bore it into an unused bedroom.

"This young fellow lost his senses, Mrs. Carey," he said. "Can't you do something for him while I telephone for the doctor?"

"Good gracious, Mr. Blake," cried the woman, "it's a girl!"

"Yes," said Charlie Blake in a queer strangled voice. "It is a girl—one that I know, too. Mrs. Carey, can we keep this a secret from the servants?"

"I will try, sir."

"It will be difficult for you, Mrs. Carey, to take care of her alone."

Mrs. Carey laughed softly. "Not at all, Mr. Blake—not at all—I hope you won't let this accident stop you from your trip to Europe."

"It may—please do not mention my name just yet, to this girl."

An hour later, Doctor Smith shook Mr. Blake by the hand, assured him that the patient was resting quietly.

Charles Blake stood there a long time after the doctor went. He was wondering about Alice—what had she been doing in a plane at night? Just because he had told her yesterday that he did not approve of airplanes for women, she had broken their engagement.

It was three o'clock when he telephoned to her family, and it was four o'clock when the Wayne automobile dashed up the avenue, and Alice's parents arrived at his house

"She's sleeping like a top now," said Charles, to Alice's anxious mother, "but if you will go up there, Mrs. Carey will find a couch for you."

In the library he talked with Mr. Wayne for an hour. "She's a kid, Alice is," said her father emphatically. "She will never have an airplane again—what she needs is to be taken hold of and told what to do. Can you do that?"

"Rather," said Blake quietly.

"Then she's yours for keeps."

The next morning they all sat in her room while Alice ate her breakfast. On the third finger was Blake's diamond ring.

"As for the airplane," said Mr. Wayne briskly, "I will send somebody over from the airdrome to get it down—it's a mess of junk."

"Why, daddy, I am sure it could be mended," broke in Alice, "and Charles and I have thought of honeymooning in it, haven't we?" She turned to Blake, who hesitated for an instant, then spoke firmly.

"To tell the truth, we haven't mentioned the plane, Mr. Wayne, and for my part, I'll say that my wife will never ride in one again, eh, Alice?"

Alice stared amazed at the man she loved, at the firm faces of her parents.

"No, Charles," she said in a very "small" voice.

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Duelists Barred From Office in Many States

South Carolina has a provision in its constitution requiring a man taking oath of office to declare that he had not challenged anyone to a duel nor fought a duel since being nominated. Virginia required an oath of this kind until 1928, when this particular provision was eliminated. Other states have in their constitutions sections forbidding office holders or legislators to participate in dueling. While the practice of dueling has been practically dead in the country for many years, there was a time when it was most popular, particularly among legislators. Henry Clay of Kentucky fought two famous duels, one with John Randolph. A Kentucky congressman named Graves fought and killed a Maine congressman named Cilley in 1838. Political arguments a hundred years ago often ended in challenges to duels. To prevent scandals of this kind at least during their terms of office, many of the states passed laws against dueling, some inserting these prohibitions in their state constitutions and oaths of office.

Mankind Yet May Have Weather Made to Order

The rainmaker is no longer the only dispenser of tailor-made weather, according to the St. Paul Pioneer Press. Counterpart of the gentry who once roamed the prairies in dry years, and bombarded the heavens for moisture, at the behest and after the payment of drought-stricken communities, is the Porto Rican tornado buster. The theory is that a shell exploded in a tornado will break it up. The theory sounds just as plausible as the rain-maker's conviction that a similar operation would jolt the sky into surrendering a thunder shower.

The Porto Rico Progress, only English periodical on the island, presents the tornado-busting theories of a contributor who has even more ingenious plans for worsting the wind. He proposes a system of underground conduits with occasional upright air shafts. A tornado, striking such a shaft, in his opinion, would suck into itself a volume of air that would destroy the vacuum of which tornadoes are made and immediately deflate the storm.

Worth While

A man was amusing himself by trying all the penny-in-the-slot machines at a fair.

Presently he came to one that did not respond to his coin.

"Look here," he said to the owner of a nearby booth, pointing to the line of machines, "that one is to try your weight, the next your height, and one your strength, the next your sight, the one over there your lungs and now I've put a penny in this thing, but I don't see what it's for."

"That, gov'nor?" replied the owner. "Oh, that one's to try your temper!"

Old Prohibitory Laws

"One is apt to think of our times as too much ridden with prohibitory laws of all sorts," observes a writer in a Vancouver (B. C) paper. "Other days also suffered, for in turning the pages of history one finds that King William II of England and English-American colonies signed a law that 'no person may use or sell any buttons made of cloth, serge, drugget, frieze or camlet, on pain of paying 40 shillings for every dozen.'

"Manufacturers of metal buttons at the time happened to have had great political influence and used it. For the same reason, Queen Anne prohibited wooden buttons."

Indians of Mixed Blood

The Mohican Indians of whom James Fenimore Cooper wrote in the "Last of the Mohicans" were a group of tribes of Algonquin Indians which formerly lived in Connecticut and New York. Many of the Mohicans lost their identity by mingling with the Delaware, Iroquois and other tribes of Indians, but notwithstanding Cooper's story, mixed blood remnants still survive in the vicinity of Norwich, Conn., and Stockbridge, Mass. The notorious Pequots were a renegade group of the original Mohicans.—Detroit News.

Bird Victim of Fashion

The kittiwake, a member of the gull family that inhabits the Arctic regions of Europe and North America, takes its name from its queer, plaintive cry. These birds grow to a length of from 16 to 18 inches, and are generally white with bluish gray back and wings, yellow beaks and legs of brownish black. They have been ruthlessly slaughtered on the British islands for the millinery trade.

It Is Given to Few

One of life's luxuries is that of being in a position to go to bed with a cold.—Toledo Blade.

Human Sustenance

It is estimated that the average individual consumes 1,355 pounds of food in a year.

Law of Gravitation

Gravitation is the name given to the mutual attraction between different bodies of matter. The attraction is universal, and the law of universal gravitation may be stated as follows: Every particle of matter in the universe attracts every other particle with a force that varies directly as the product of the masses of particles and inversely as the square of the distance between them.

Winter Egg Laying

The Poultry Item says: Take the winter egg crop away and this mighty industry would fall to the ground in one year. It was discovered half a century ago that if hens are kept out of the snow and in other ways duly protected against the rigors of winter they will lay eggs at 40 below zero as certainly as at 90 in the shade. This is the basis of all profits in poultry culture.

Had Enough of the Sea

On account of a shipwreck in his teens when he was emigrating from England to South Africa, Mr Clark of Boshof, Orange Free State, made his way inland, and vowed that he would never cast eyes on the sea again. He settled at Boshof, where he built up an extensive general dealers' business, and left a large fortune at his death.

Sport of Skiing

Skiing began to be looked upon as a sport about 1860 in the Norwegian district of Telewark, and rapidly spread in popularity over all the Scandinavian peninsula. The climax of the racing season is now the great international ski tournament, held annually in February at Holmenkollen, six miles from Oslo.

Woman's Headdress

In the days when St. Paul laid down the ruling that men should pray uncovered and women with their heads covered, a woman was not considered to be "properly dressed" for the streets with her head uncovered.

Happiness in Church Life

At eighteen, when the keenness for games has diminished and work is becoming monotonous, says an English clergyman, girls interested in church life and work are the happiest persons in their communities.

Sting of Bees and Wasps

Honey bees, after stinging do die, though not always immediately. It is possible for them to live several hours. Wasps, hornets and yellow-jackets can sting repeatedly, inasmuch as their stings remain intact.

Uncle Eben

"A fortune teller says she kin tell me what I'm thinkin' about," said Uncle Eben. "Maybe she kin, but I ain' never thought of nuffin yit dat 'ud seem worth de money."—Washington Star.

Washington's Dinner Hour

In his diary, George Washington repeatedly speaks of dinner as a daytime meal. He recounts guests who dined at Mount Vernon, then sets down how the afternoon was spent.

Use for Old Calendar

An out-of-date calendar that is considered too pretty to throw away can be transformed into a match scratcher by gumming an oblong of sandpaper to the calendar pad.

Whoopee Makers

The efforts of many serious men to jingle bells perhaps are inspired by a fear that the world of actuality will catch up with them.—Woman's Home Companion.

Many Species of Orchids

There are estimated to be 3,000 species of orchids under cultivation and more than 75 different varieties of wild orchids in the United States and Alaska.

Greatest Fault

Of all acts is not, for a man, repentance the most divine? The greatest of faults is to be conscious of none.—Carlyle.

Mountain Idiom

The mixing of h's is English, and only in the mountains of the South can you find pure stock that still says: "Hit's fixin' to rain."—Exchange.

Man, Proud Man!

Isn't man wonderful! Knowing prosperity depends on the supply of gold, he uses quantities of the diminishing output to make trinkets.

What Education Needs

Somehow education must give the race the equivalent of pioneer experience. It must not let our boys grow soft.—American Magazine.

Trade Term

Disagio is the discount charged for cashing foreign or depreciated currency and for abrasion in metallic currency.

Mental Giants

The hen-pecked husband who always buys a suit with two pairs of pants so that he can have one pair for himself.

Defining Humor

A sense of humor is seeing both sides—seeing all sides, if you prefer it that way.—Woman's Home Companion.

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COPY RECEIVED UP TO 3 P. M. WEDNESDAY

William Busch Heads N.S.G.W. in Pleasanton

Installation of Officers Held at Odd Fellows' Hall

William Busch, of Pleasanton, was installed as president of the Native Sons Parlor at the installation exercises held at the Odd Fellows' hall last Thursday night.

Albert Pacheo, of San Leandro, grand president, was installing officer for the evening. The officers were elected at a meeting held recently. They will serve for the ensuing term of one year.

The newly seated officers are as follows: Peter C. Madsen, past president; William Busch, president; George Trimingham, first vice president; Edward Holzreiter, second vice president; William F. Hall, third vice president; Ernest Schween recording and financial secretary; Charles Schween, treasurer; Tony Rabello, Jr., marshal; Henry Lanini, inside sentinel; William Leitch, outside sentinel; William Sylvia, trustee.

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LIVE STOCK—Am dealing in all kinds of live stock; also buy and sell on commission. Dead stock removed on short notice. General hauling. Moved to corner Third and F streets, near school. Manuel Pemental. Phone 155, Niles.

HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD—We are in market for live chicken feed horses at highest prices; remove dead horses and cows immediately; buy and sell all kinds live stock and pay highest prices. Frank Pemental, Vallejo street. Phone Niles 132.

Mission San Jose

By EVA ROGERS

MISSION GIRL WED TO LIVERMORE YOUTH

A quiet wedding took place at St. Joseph's church Tuesday morning when Miss Viola Souza, of Mission, became the bride of Clifford Hutton, of Livermore.

Revevend Father Leal performed wedding ceremony. The bride was attended by Mrs. R. Bettencourt and the groom by R. Bettencourt, both of Centerville.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Souza and was a former student of Washington Union high school. She was formally employed in Centerville.

The groom has been employed at the Hetch Hetchy for the past year.

Following a short honeymoon at Yosemite the happy young couple will make their home in Mission San Jose.

BECOMES BRIDE

Monday evening Miss Edna Callahan, of Mission, became the bride of Daniel Cross, of Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Azevada and family attended a dinner party at the home of F. Dias Saturday night.

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John Rogers motored to Manteca Thursday with friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Antone Garcia, of Milpitas, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Garcia Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dutra, of Hayward; Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gaffingan, Jr., Miss C. Witherly and Miss Clare Witherly went on a deer hunt at Santa Cruz Monday.

Mission San Jose Firemen Hold Banquet

Satrday night the Mission San Jose firemen held a banquet at Milk Creek on the Mission Peak road.

Many different games and singing were the main diversion of the evening.

Twenty-one of the brave and dashing firemen were present.

Theadore Garcia spent a few days with Tony Garcia, of Milpitas, last week.

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Miss Palmeda Cardoza, of Pleasanton, is spending a few days at Mission.

Pleasanton Race Horses Win In Week-End Meets

"Nanamay," owned by Stevens and Brown, of the Pleasanton race track won a first and second place in the horse races held at Salinas in connection with the race at the rodeo.

"O'Maa," owned by Charles Thompson, of Pleasanton, won first place in the largest money purse in the three-quarter mile race.

All horses attending the Salinas Rodeo and the races in Reno recently returned last week to the Pleasanton race track. The horses which took part in the Reno races made a good showing, but even the winners went without purses due to the inability of the celebration management to raise the necessary funds as originally advertised.

Escondido—Escondido News and Times-Advocate to consolidate.

Hayward Theater

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Friday-Saturday—Aug. 5-6:
James Dunn and Spencer Tracy in—
SOCIETY GIRL
An epic of the prize ring.

Sunday-Monday—Aug. 7-8:
George O'Brien in
MYSTERY RANCH
And Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Ann Dvorak in—
LOVE IS A RACKET

Tuesday—Aug. 9:
Barbara Stanwyck and Zazu Pitts in—
SHOPWORN
Sugar Bowl Night.

Wednesday-Thursday—Aug. 10-11:
Jean Harlow in—
RED HEADED WOMAN

WATCH THE CASINGS

Never attempt to drive at high speed unless the tire casings are in perfect condition. Excessive speed causes the tread of the tires to wear rapidly.

SLIDING TIRES RUINOUS

Locking the wheels so as to cause tires to slide on the roadway causes much unnecessary wear.

The Newark Register

By Miss Patricia Barton

Barbecue Enjoyed At Hoffman Home

Many Newark people enjoyed barbecued meat and lemonade at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman Sunday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Laudenslager and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hempleman and son, Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Sarmento and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mince and family and Edward Lasky, of Stockton.

PLANT OPERATING

The enamal plant of the Wedgewood foundry is again working.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Freitas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Costa and daughter, Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. Knobles and family, of Oakland, spent Sunday in Watsonville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Silva went to Vallejo Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Santos left for San Rafael Sunday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louise Ruschin and family motored to Lakespur, Marin county, Sunday.

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The Newark boy scouts who attended Dimond camp returned to Newark Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Silva and Mrs. Zarn left Tuesday for Los Angeles where they will attend the Olympic games.

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Mrs. W. Laudenslager and daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. Nordvik and son, Thor, visited Dimond camp Saturday.

RETURNS FROM VACATION

Mrs. Caroline Draper, Mrs. Trescott's mother, returned with the Trescotts from their vacation. She is going to spend a month or two in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole, and Mrs. H. Cole motored to San Francisco Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Garcia, of Oakland, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meneze Sunday afternoon.

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Neal Bearden, of San Francisco, is staying with some friends in Newark for a few days.

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John Marshall is erecting a new home at Newark.

AUTO DEATHS SHOW INCREASE IN COUNTY

Deaths from auto accidents in Washington township during the first six months of this year have been comparatively few in comparison with other sections of southern Alameda county, it was revealed last week in a report by Captain Louis A. Eike, of the state highway patrol. Of the nineteen auto accident deaths in 1932 in southern Alameda county, there has been one each near Niles, Newark, and Centerville, while seven occurred on the Hayward-San Leandro highway, six on the Hayward-Livermore road, and two at Livermore.

According to Captain Eike, the death toll from auto accidents in this section of the county has shown a startling increase this year, with the first six months of the 1932 figure showing almost as many as occurred throughout 1931.

In pointing out this increase, Captain Eike stressed the necessity of motorist adopting a program of driving more carefully. On graphic tabulation of highway accident deaths and injuries in the highway patrol office at Hayward, it is shown by red pins marking the spot of each death on the map that twenty-eight deaths occurred throughout 1931 in contrast to nineteen for the six months of this year.

Total of injuries for 1931 from auto accidents reached 174 for southern Alameda county, while so far this year, eighty-nine accidents of serious personal injury have been tabulated.

TRUCK AND LOAD BURN NEAR SUNOL

A truck which was moving furniture caught fire and burned up near the Mission San Jose bridge on the highway between Mission San Jose and Sunol last Sunday.

According to Patrolman Joseph Macer, of Pleasanton, the driver of the truck could not be found, nor could he find out the owner of the truck. All Macer could secure was the engine number of the vehicle.

The truck was completely destroyed along with its contents. All that remained were the steel parts of the vehicle, a bed spring, and some bed frames.

Wilmington — Roy Keys opened new service station, Avalon at L street.

By JACK TOWNSEND

Boy Scouts and Scouters of Washington township left the Niles Scout House last Monday morning thirty strong for Dimond Camp. Upon their arrival there, they got into the swing of activities by cooking their own meals.

In addition to the camp staff which included I. P. Beesley, scout executive, Walter Axelrod, scout nature department; Al Wilson, swimming instructor, and Kenneth MacTavish, shop and crafts instructor, the boys were under the supervision of Scoutmasters B. K. Van Cleave, of Irvington; L. W. Pine, Scout Troop No. 2, Niles; Assistant Scoutmasters Frank Ferry, Niles Troop 1; Glen Trout, Centerville Troop No. 1; Bud Ruschin, Newark troop; and Junior Assistants Blair and Fuller, of Newark.

Last Monday evening the troops played twilight games, and Tuesday night they took a moonlight hike over the Everlasting Trail to Seqouia Park and Zoo, and enjoyed a camp fire program. The success of the camp is due much to O. W. Ebright and Ben Murphy, of Niles, who provided transportation. The boys wish to express their thanks to all those assisting in making this year's trip a success.

At the court of honor held at the Amphitheater, Sunday afternoon, presided over by E. E. Carroll the following boys received awards: Robert Kibby, Troop No. 2, Niles; Bradford Hodgkins, Troop No. 2, Niles; and Lawrence Walt, Jr., Newark, received record class badges.

Lawrence Pine, Troop No. 2, Niles, was awarded a merit badge. Other badges presented were: Glenn Trout, safety; Harry Cesari, Niles, athletics, safety; Melvin Farmer, Troop No. 2, Niles, personal and public health, wood turning, masonary; Blair Fuller, Newark, bugling, safety; George Jorgenson, Irvington, athletics.

The championship of Dimond camp goffy golf was played Sunday morning between I. P. Beasley, scout executive; Glenn Trout, Centerville; Lawrence Pine, Troop No. 1, Niles. Pine was leading at the last hole but Trout came up to win the championship by one stroke. The camp record for the nine -hole course, which is forty-one, was scored by Trout Sunday morning.

If anyone wishes to know how to cook for a group without utensils see Scoutmaster Pine.

Those that remained at Camp Dimond over the week-end were Scoutmasters Scott, of Newark; E E. Carrol, Mr. Jorgenson, Mr. Leal and Walter Johnson, all of Irvington.

NILES RESTAURANT REMOVES TO HAYWARD

Niles people were sorry to hear that the American Girll located on First street, Niles, closed its doors Tuesday of last week.

The restaurant was one of the most attractive and up to date eating establishments in Washinton township. Gus Nakrigianis and Gus Dakos, the two proprietors, were very poplar among their customers, and it is with regret that Niles is to be deprived of their services. The former has been in the restaurant business in Niles for some time, while Dakos came here recently from Hayward.

All the attractive fixtures and other equipment in the restaurant were moved to Hayward, where the two men plan to open another restaurant in the near future.

Valleo—Bids opened for new water system to be installed here.

Editorial Comment

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rather than diminishing. These men are American citizens, mostly native born, and as good men as you or we. Those of us who still have something left after several long years of unprecedented business disaster are lucky, not better nor more deserving or smarter than those tramping the highways and byways discouraged beyond calculation —dazed by it all, unable to understand why, in a land as rich as ours, they must go hungry and on the verge of nakedness. Do the people in power realize that these men still love America and its institutions, and hate the very thought of communism? But, hark you! drive them too far and anarchy has no terror greater than a gnawing stomach and a hopeless outlook.

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It is time, fellow Americans, to be careful. Those of us who have, must give to the fullness of our power. We must suffer with, not by, our unfortunate fellow men. We must feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and argue and reason with the discontented; but force must never be used except in very dire emergencies. We must give radical groups no excuse for revolution. We must never let them say that people with means are sitting by idly and letting men, women and children starve and run in rags. We must not let our governmental officials, of whatever station, invite or even remotely justify rioting, perhaps anarchy, in this country by a coldblooded attitude toward misery and want. It matters not whether that official be president or alderman, he must understand that America has a heart, sympathy, understanding, charity. The Hoover administration seems to have overlookd this fact—and worse yet its whole attitude in the catastrophe that is pressing down so ruthlessly upon the nation, is one of cowardly vacillation and stupidity.

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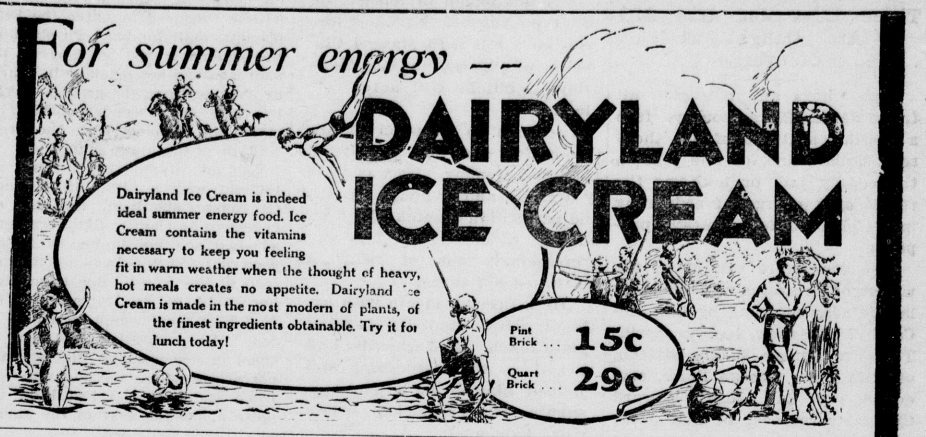
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Lettuce	2 heads	5c
Hale Peaches	3 lbs.	10c
New Potatoes	Lugs	41c
Seedless Grapes	4 lbs.	10c
Green Beans	2 lbs.	5c
Tomatoes	3 lbs.	10c

Weimar—Bids will be received until August 11 for construction of 1,000,000-gallon water supply system at Weimar Joint Sanatarium here.

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LOOK AFTER CARBURETOR

A motor overhaul is not complete unless it includes an overhaul of the carburetor. One cannot expect maximum efficiency by overhauling the motor and neglecting the carbuertor, which performs a vital part in the operation of a motor car.

Sierra Madre — Sierra Madre avenue being widened and paved from West Central avenue north to city line.